How old was the age of Mary when she got pregnant?

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How old was the age of Mary, Jesus' Mother when she got pregnant?

Not only was it a custom in the Arab society to Engage/Marry a young girl it was also common in the Jewish society. The case of Mary the mother of Jesus comes to mind, in non biblical sources she was between **11-14 years** old when she conceived Jesus.

Mary had already been "BETROTHED" to Joseph before conceiving Jesus. Joseph was a much older man. Therefore Mary was younger **11-14 years** of age when she was "BETHROED" to Joseph.

We Muslims would never call Joseph a Child Molester, nor would we refer to the "Holy Ghost" of the Bible, that "Impregnated" Mary as a "Rapist" or "Adulterer".

According to the Priest of Saint Mary's Catholic Church: "Mary was approximately **14 years** old when she got pregnant with Jesus. Joseph, Mary's Husband is believed to be around 36 years.

Mary was only **13 years** when she married Joseph. When she first was arranged with Joseph she was between **7 to 9 years old**."

According to the **"Oxford Dictionary Bible"** commentary, Mary was was **12 years** old when she became impregnated.

So if I want to be as silly and ridiculous as many of the Christians, I would respond to them by saying that Mary was psychologically and emotionally devastated for getting pregnant at a very young age. And speaking of "child molesting", since most Christians believe that Jesus is the Creator of this universe, then why did GOD allow himself to enter life through a **12-year** old young girl's vagina?

Please note that we Muslims love and respect Allah Almighty, Mary, Jesus and Allah's Messengers and prophets to the People of the Book (The Jews and Christians).

In other words, we Muslims would never make fun of Christianity through such childish topic like this one as many ridiculous Christians do make fun of Islam through our Prophet's Muhammad (peace be upon him) marriage to Aisha (peace be upon her) .